House Education Instruction Subcommittee Am. #1

	
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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2247*

House Bill No. 2666

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201, is amended by redesignating subdivision (a)(1) as subdivision (a)(1)(A), redesignating existing subdivisions accordingly, and adding the following as new subdivisions to subdivision (a)(1):

- (B) Members serving on the commission on June 30, 2022, shall continue to serve until the expiration of their terms.
- (C) Beginning July 1, 2022, there is created a state textbook and instructional materials quality commission composed of twelve (12) members, eleven (11) of whom are appointed as follows:
 - (i) The speaker of the senate appoints a:
 - (a) Person with a valid instructional leader license;
 - (b) Teacher or instructional supervisor in the intermediate grades, grades four through eight (4-8); and
 - (c) Certified school librarian;
 - (ii) The speaker of the house of representatives appoints a:
 - (a) Person with a valid instructional leader license;
 - (b) Teacher or instructional supervisor in the lower grades, grades kindergarten through three (K-3); and
 - (c) Certified school librarian;

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- (iii) The governor appoints a:
 - (a) Principal; and





- (b) Teacher or instructional supervisor in the upper grade subjects, grades nine through twelve (9-12);(iv)
- (a) The three (3) remaining members must be citizens of this state who are knowledgeable of education issues;
- (b) The citizen members listed in subdivision (a)(1)(C)(iv)(a) are appointed as follows:
 - (1) The governor appoints a person who resides in the western grand division;
 - (2) The speaker of the senate appoints a person who resides in the eastern grand division; and
 - (3) The speaker of the house of representatives appoints a person who resides in the middle grand division; and
- (v) If a member's initial qualification changes, the member must be allowed to complete the member's term of appointment.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(a)(3), is amended by deleting "(a)(1)(A)-(C)" and substituting "(a)(1)(A) and (C)".
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(b)(1), is amended by deleting the language "each appointed member" and substituting instead the language "members appointed pursuant to subdivision (a)(1)(C)(iii)".
- SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(d), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:
 - (3) The persons appointed pursuant to subdivisions (a)(1)(C)(i)(c) and (ii)(c) serve an initial term of three (3) years, which expires on June 30, 2025.
- SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(e)(1), is amended by deleting the language "subdivision (d)(2)" and substituting the language "subdivisions (d)(2) and (3)".

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(k)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(1) Until July 1, 2022, six (6) members of the commission constitute a quorum for the purpose of meeting and conducting business. On or after July 1, 2022, seven (7) members of the commission constitute a quorum for the purpose of meeting and conducting business.

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

- () In addition to other duties of the commission, the commission shall:
- (1) No later than June 1, 2022, establish guidelines for an LEA and a public charter school to identify and remove all materials contained within each school library of the LEA or public charter school as of June 1, 2022, that are harmful to minors, as defined in § 39-17-901, and to segregate all other materials that may be appropriate only for certain student ages. The guidelines developed pursuant to this subdivision ()(1) must be fully implemented no later than the 2022-2023 school year; and
- (2) Review new books and other new materials made available in libraries operated by an LEA or public charter school whereby no materials that would be harmful to minors, as defined in § 39-17-901, are located within a school library and to ensure that all new materials are appropriate for the age and maturity levels of the students who may access the materials, and that the materials are suitable for, and consistent with, the educational mission of each school.

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(a)(2), is amended by redesignating the existing language as (2)(A) and adding the following new subdivision:

(B) The Tennessee state library coordinator shall serve as an ex officio non-voting member of the commission.

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2201(a)(1)(C), is amended by deleting the language "twelve (12)" and substituting "thirteen (13)".

SECTION 10. Sections 8 and 9 of this act take effect July 1, 2022, if Senate Bill 1784/House Bill 1667 becomes law, the public welfare requiring it. All other sections of this act take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2154

House Bill No. 2108*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2206, is amended by deleting subsection (d) and substituting instead the following:

- (d) Notwithstanding subsection (a):
- (1) All textbooks and instructional materials must be aligned to Tennessee's academic standards no later than:
 - (A) July 1, 2023, for math;
 - (B) July 1, 2024, for science; and
 - (C) July 1, 2025, for social studies; and
- (2) The state board shall not grant a waiver for math, science, or social studies textbooks or instructional materials that are not aligned to Tennessee's academic standards beginning on:
 - (A) January 1, 2023, for English language arts;
 - (B) July 1, 2023, for math;
 - (C) July 1, 2024, for science; and
 - (D) July 1, 2025, for social studies.
- (e) The state board is authorized to promulgate rules, including emergency rules, to effectuate this section. The rules must be promulgated in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.







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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1225

House Bill No. 1077*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3115(a)(2)(A), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

(vi) The student's results on the state-adopted benchmark assessment most recently administered to the student demonstrates that the student is proficient, as determined by the state board of education;

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, at 12:01 a.m., the public welfare requiring it.



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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2018*

House Bill No. 2188

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-13-132, is amended by adding "email addresses, phone numbers, the most recent schools attended," after "addresses,".

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.





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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2006

*House Bill No. 1723

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-7003, is amended by deleting the section and substituting instead the following:

- (a) Each LEA shall adopt a policy on the inspection of school instructional materials by parents and legal guardians of students enrolled in the LEA.
 - (b) The policy required under subsection (a) must:
 - (1) Provide that a parent or legal guardian is entitled to inspect all teaching materials, instructional materials, and other teaching aids used in the classroom of the parent's or legal guardian's student;
 - (2) Allow a student's parent or legal guardian to check out from the student's school one (1) set of the instructional materials used in the classroom of the parent's or legal guardian's student for a period of no less than forty-eight (48) hours to allow the parent or legal guardian to inspect the materials, unless the instructional materials are available online for the parent to inspect; and
 - (3) Require a parent or legal guardian who checks out instructional materials from a school to execute a document in which:
 - (A) The parent or legal guardian is advised of:
 - (i) Copyright protections applicable to the instructional materials, including information regarding copyright infringement and the penalties associated with copyright infringement;







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- (ii) The fees and costs that may be charged by the school to the parent or legal guardian for instructional materials checked out by the parent or legal guardian that are not timely returned to the school, or that are returned to the school in an incomplete, unusable, or damaged condition; and
- (iii) The LEA's ability to withhold the grade cards, diplomas, certificates of progress, or transcripts of the parent's or legal guardian's student if any fees or costs charged by the school pursuant to subsection (c) are not paid; and
- (B) The parent or legal guardian:
- (i) Attests to receiving the information required in subdivision (b)(3)(A); and
- (ii) Agrees to comply with all copyright protections applicable to the instructional materials and to timely return the instructional materials to the school in the same quantity and condition the materials were in at the time the materials were checked out from the school by the parent or legal guardian.

(c)

- (1) An LEA may authorize the LEA's schools to charge a parent or legal guardian who checks out instructional materials from the school:
 - (A) A reasonable fee for the parent's or legal guardian's failure to timely return the instructional materials to the school; and
 - (B) The costs necessary to repair or replace instructional materials that are not returned to the school, or that are returned to the school in an incomplete, unusable, or damaged condition. For purposes of this subdivision (c)(1)(B), a school may consider instructional materials damaged if the materials are not in the same condition the materials were

in at the time the materials were checked out from the school by the parent or legal guardian.

- (2) Fees or costs charged to a student's parent or legal guardian pursuant to this subsection (c) constitute a debt owed to the LEA. The LEA may withhold the grade cards, diplomas, certificates of progress, or transcripts of the parent's or legal guardian's student until the debt is satisfied.
- (d) Each LEA shall file the LEA's policy on the inspection of school instructional materials by parents and legal guardians of students enrolled in the LEA in the LEA's official operating policy pamphlet.
- (e) An LEA shall make all teaching materials, including handouts, readily available for inspection upon the request of a student's parent or legal guardian.

SECTION 2. For purposes of revising an LEA's policy on the inspection of school instructional materials by parents and legal guardians of students enrolled in the LEA, this act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to the 2022-2023 school year and each school year thereafter.